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CAPITALISM COMBUSTION & CHAINSAWS

The three C's have caused the downfall of our society and our earth. Imperialism existed before these concepts, but these three things made it that much easier to starve the poor and gorge the rich. A free market in the north has enslaved those in the south, its fossil fueled tools have opened up strip mining operations. Its chainsaws have cut the canopy of its homes, scorching the unusable ground below. Perhaps this colonialism can be best seen in our time. Our luxury agricultural products like bananas, sugar, and coffee come from vast monocrop plantations which could grow native and sustaining crops like corn. "Juan Valdez." the symbol of American capitalist slavery in South America, can only drink so much coffee. With the formation of certain "free trade" agreements, companies like Nike, Levi's, and Hanes have made certain that they will be able to produce goods using economically and politically shackled people for labor. The illegal sweatshops In America which pay \$2 an hour are no longer profitable. The companies must go to Honduras, Burma, and Mexico to find people who will work for \$2 a day. For agreements like NAFTA or GATT to be equitable, they must maintain an international minimum wage and international environmental standards.

Capitalism, combustion engines, and chainsaws have also underdeveloped the north, furthering a class system carried over from the days of lords and serfs. Combustion has dissected our once pristine land with its roads, choked us with its cars, and destroyed the notion of community. Now our grapes can come from California or Chile. Our apples can come from Washington, and our underwear can come from Thailand. Before the dawn of the three C's, many people lived in bartering and sharing communities which fostered the ideals of self-respect and empowerment. But damn Whitey's killed all of the buffalo, hasn't he? The notion of jobs vs. environment keeps popping up in the media, but the environment isn't the enemy— the three C's are. Labor has become automated. Machines tell people they're too dumb to work anymore. Chainsaws take jobs from loggers, not environmentalists.

Life under the three C's lacks human dignity and a respect for the natural world. The upperdogs seek to exploit both land and people in their conquest to make profits soar. We just stand in their way or help them on their way. I suggest we stand in their way more often.

This was a public service announcement from Rick Spencer.

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FORESTS

... are the lungs of our earth, producing our oxygen supply. While comprising only 2% of the planet, tropical rainforests house over 50% of its species. Indigenous peoples, like the Penan of Malaysia, the Yanomami of Brazil, and the Huaroni of Ecuador are forced to leave their lands or be murdered defending it. It is first world consumerism which leads to third world suffering in the rainforests. But in the end, we all suffer from the global warming, erosion, oxygen shortage, & desertification caused by deforestation.

In the US, our National Forests are sold to timber and paper companies at a reduced prices subsidized by our tax dollars. Only 5% of America's old-growth forests still remain, as 1,000 year old trees are cut for newspapers & phonebooks.

Paper companies are ignoring alternatives to virgin tree fiber, such as kenaf, hemp, agricultural waste, straw, and post-consumer recycled paper. The industry also bleaches its paper with dioxin-producing chlorine, which causes birth defects, sterility & cancer in humans & other animals.

We can do without mahogany & teak furniture, virgin paper & clearcut timber— we'll have to if we intend to exist. Perhaps the industry needs a push. Organize a demonstration, civil disobedience action, write letters, print t-shirts... something. The following is a list of organizations helping to put an end to poorly managed forest-products industries. Write them. They will send you free stuff to get you started.

Rainforest Action Network,450 Sansome #700, SF, CA 94111, USA

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RAN is the best resource in the US for tropical rainforest issues. They are leading boycotts against Mitsubishi, Texaco, Maxxam, World Bank, mahogany, & other tropical timbers. Local affiliates are active all over the globe.

Earth First! USA, POB 1415, Eugene, OR 97440, USA

Faith

YC activist blocking a Georgia-Pacific timber distribution center in Hamilton, NJ. Six people were arrested.

EF! Is a loosely organized group of activists which participate in legal demonstrations & civil disobedience action, but are most noted for their monkeywrenching which includes setting buildozers ablaze & tree spiking. Their *EF! Journal* is excellent.

Native Forest Council, POB 2171, Eugene, OR 97402, USA NFC is tops onresearching US clearcutting & timber practices. Their primer is a much needed tool & is free.

Citizens Clearinghouse for Hazardous Waste, POB 6806, Falls Church, VA 22040, USA

Formed out of the Love Canai movement, CCHW works on getting dioxin & other toxic chemicals out of communities through empowering local people. Environmental justice is also a big concern.

Taiga Rescue, Box 116, S-962 23 Jokkmokk, Sweden

Best contact for northern forest activism (Scand., Scotland, Can., Russia).

EarthCulture, POB 24202, Hilton Head Island, SC 29925, USA
An organization I recently founded which runs the national
Boycott Georgia-Pacific Campaign. We are getting businesses to
think more green through the "Smart Paper" campaign & also
deal with tropical timber issues.

Boycott Quarterly, POB 64, Olympia, WA 98507, USA

This magazine is the best source for ongoing boycott news around

Rainforest Info Centre, POB 368, Lismore, NSW 2480, Australia

The best clearinghouse of rainforest info& a center for Australian & international activism.

Greenpeace Forestry Campaign, 1726 Commercial Ave., Vancouver, BC V5N 4A3, Canada

Working on stopping clearcutting in BC's Clayoquot Sound. Mac-Millan Bloedel is turning BC's ancient forests into the New York Times & GTE phone books. Over 800 people were arrested in 1993 for protesting the practice.

Greenpeace Chlorine Campaign,847 W. Jackson, 7th Floor, Chicago, IL 60607

Leaders In the push to implement alternative bleaching methods in paper products & phasing out PCBs & other sources of dioxin.

Friends of the Earth, 56-58 Alma St., Luton, Beds LU1 2YZ,UK

Large enviro group trying to impose a ban on mahogany & other tropical timber in the UK. FOE put out a great report entitled, *Mahogany is Murder.*

Student Environmental Action Coalition , POB 1168, Chapel Hill, NC 27514-1168

The US's largest coalition of student environmental groups. Prints a good magazine called *Threshold*. Doesn't focus on timber heavily, but SEAC is a good contact for students & young people.

War Resister's League, 339 Lafayette St., NY, NY 10012, USA Doesn't work on timber, but is the best resource for non-violence resources & training

graphic & information by Rick Spencer, burnt-out punker reachable at EarthCulture address

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in my mother's eyes
her only solitude
is found in love
a light in the darkness
to guide her home.

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incurable complaint is: brian - drums cabe - bass+vocals mike - guitar Thanks to:
Mike Roth, Kent
McClard, Sam, John,
Scott, Jimmy, Mike D.,
Floodgate and others
who lent us equipment,
Parents & Friends.

P.O. Box 6292 Santa Barbara, CA 93160

incurable complaint is now: brian - drums; cabe

brian - drums; cabe - vocals; mike - guitar; joe - bass

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vocals:summer mastous bass:dave louie drums:jay conui guitar:drew gilbert

write:P.O. Box
7848 Santa Cruz, CA
95061 USA



Running away is a prudent and sensible response to the threat of physical violence. Whenever and wherever you can escape threatened assault by running away, you should do it! There is no "honor" in an assault and there is no loss of honor if you run away.

Thanks:Matt A, Jeff, Tom B.,Judy & Rob, Greyhound, Kid City, Kent

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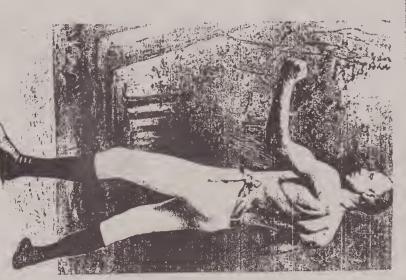
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than this, than you. Better ghosts have happened and unwound. So go-fine-powtake it away. I saw you. become a ball of yarn. Soft, mute, fuzzy good ideas there. I saw brain matter over the dollhouse in his dreams. I'm haunted. 6am the man rakes his lawn, rakes his leaves outside is a lotus blossum, latent seeds so ok we're all little boys and girls fountains glistening...Mom, there were Green hills landlocked Switzerland Well yah, So are you. Boarding school. Break me out, break me out, cos' I'm beat brick that skirmish the soul? pre-determine the poor dogs tied to a rope within which a young karma resides? within which the walls are made of



The myth of inborn masculine aggressiveness is the opposite and supporting myth of inherent feminine helplessness and passivity.



recorded on 8-tracks by Matt A 6/94

"Invisible Man"

can see you
but you can't see me
I can see you
but you can't see me

I'm the invisible of an your classifications' have made me
I'm not what you want to believe
I'm not what you want to see
I am me

don't group me don't see through me don't feel me don't love me

> don't love don't feel don't know

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I'm invisible no longer
when you can relate
when you can see my flesh
when you start to think about me
when you start to relate to my feelings
when you start to love who I am
when you start to believe, start to believe
about what is inside me

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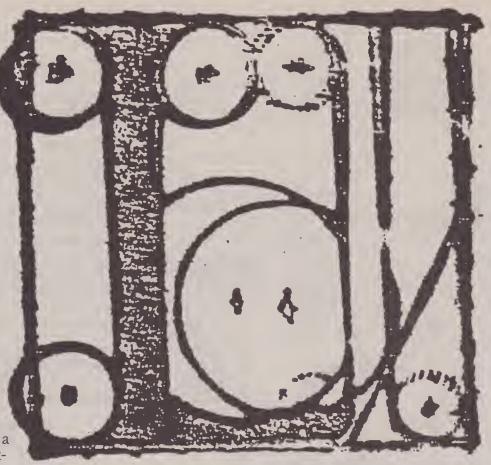
COMING SOON FROM THE WORLD OF JIHAD A SPLIT WITH OTTAWA

If you think it's about you, you're wrong. It's about us. Me and you. We stand alone; such hardened individuals... but we need others. We need this. If we didn't, we be gone by now. I know I need this. It sounds so silly. But true, I need this space. Some fucking space of comfort. Even when everyone sucks, I still turn here. I turn it loud. Because this is the closest I can get to my reality. And it's ours, our world. No one can take it from us. We can give it away, but no one can take it. And I am hoarding my piece.

i'm tired of "my element" being a place where i don't feel comfortable. filled with hating eyes of neighbors, and beyond that blank stares overflowing with pettiness. it's time for a new leaf.

"I may be blind in my actions, and have no control of my rage, and suffer from heated moments, but... I know what my anger means." - Ignition

I know my anger is the only thing I have left now. The only thing inside me that is pure. Everything else has been tainted, disillusioned, and beaten into submission. These fiery eyes are the only clear thing I have. This burning. This scream. This beast is the best thing I can turn to, and know I am really alive. To know what I want. And my anger will keep me from being under your thumb. Nice types sit quiet and alone unrecognized by the world around them. Almost apathetic. This you cannot ignore. This you see. This keeps the other people in line, as I try to rebuild. My anger is my savior. And that's that.



MAYBE I WAS ALWAYS JUST STANDING IN YOUR LIGHT?

Today I turned twenty. It scares the fuck out of me. I've got one more legal year of being this thing I ran from. Now I'm just trying to get it back. I never wanted to be this. Never.

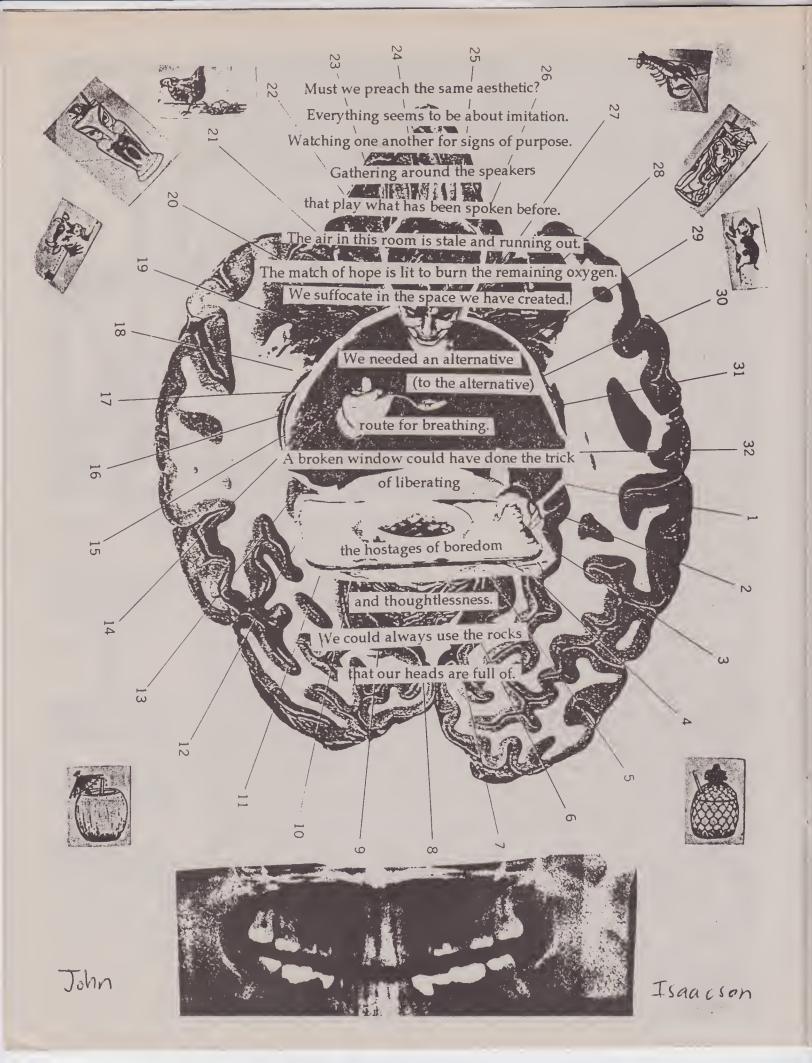
I wonder about this woman I have become. I wonder about this thing living inside of me. I really have no idea what I want, Sometines.
No, scratch that.
I can't even imagine what other people see. I have my wild imagination,

But that I have to second guess. I wonder to what degrees I go. Because that is a big piece of me. And my woman.

And my wonderment.

I wanted to do something that meant something. I never wanted to be the one doing all the seeking. I didn't want to be the bad memory. But the past isn't just past, and it's hard to ignore. I wasn't the living one and now I am dead. Dead to you?

so I do this little 'zine called **shiner**. you can guess what it is about. this is number 3.5. thank you, friends. fuck shit up. - lisa o. po box 622 goleta, ca 93116



SHOTMAKER

March 1994-Melissa Kimberly
Richardson was picked up while
hitchhiking today. She was driven off to
a deserted road, assaulted, choked until
she passed out, and then stabbed
somewhere near 40 times with a
screwdriver. She was left on the side of
the road to die. Missy survived by lifting
herself off the road, climbing over a
fence, walking across a field to the edge
of a highway, and flagging down a
passing motorist. She did this while
losing massive amounts of blood.

This in itself only bears slight testimony to the kind of spirit she, as a human being, has. I think the world of her and can't imagine what it would be like to not have her around.

I know, as well as most of you reading this do, that violence against women in any way, shape, or form is out of control. I don't need to ramble on about statistics, because once, in my mind, is too much. I think that we, as people, need to educate ourselves at a young age and stop letting the media, religion, and mainstream society in general make males into these macho men that think they are the all and mighty machine. Men are the problem, men created the problem, and men prolong the problem.

-Matt

7:14 is just one person's outlook on a problem that should be looked at by more people.

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WHAT WILL SHE DO
WHAT WILL WE DO
IT WASN'T HER CHOICE
OUR FISTS
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OUR LIES

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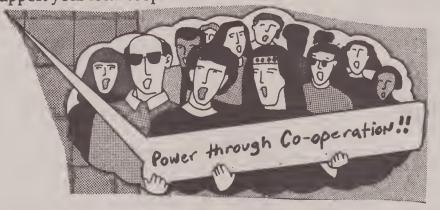
Fuck Landlords and Take Control of Where You Reside LIVE IN A CO-OP

Where do you live? Are you sick of listening to the never ending nagging of your landlord and having them neglect you of your needs? Well I have an answer for you! Become part of your local cooperative! Co-ops are great because it is true revolutionary living. As a collective group, housemates own their co-op and are in charge of their house in every imaginable way. Thus, the power is brought into the hands of the tenants and not some money loving landlord. This also helps to keep co-ops affordable, for no one is making a profit.

I have lived in a co-op for the past two years in Isla Vista. It is a much needed escape from the college town hell that surrounds me. My house has nine bedrooms and fourteen co-opers, and we are only one house out of three in the local community. As a communal house, we all have weekly chores to keep the house going. We have an excellent recycling program and a growing organic garden in the backyard. Best of all, we have communal dinners in which two co-opers cook for the house one night, while they have others cook for them the other nights. Imagine coming home every night to an awesome

vegan/vegetarian dinner fully prepared by someone else.

Co-ops are truly an aspect of alternative living because it gives people a true sense of power and choice about where they live. Co-ops have existed since 1844 and are located all around the U.S., especially where there are colleges. They are not just for hippies and should not be associated with communes and compounds a la Waco, Texas. Co-ops are awesome because people show interest and pride in where they live and the house has a general sense of politics. Thus, co-ops (whether housing, food, or business) are fuckin' punk...so support your local cooperative!



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little over two years ago I got the idea to start this magazine called HeartattaCk. I was feeling alienated by the hardcore world's core processing unit, meaning that Maximum Rock'n'roll was no longer going to cover the kind of music that I had grown to love. But it wasn't just about music, it was also about a certain community and the idea of it all being "more than music." You see MRR was, and still is for a huge portion of the punk scene, an information hub. People flip open those pages every month to get clued in on what's new. Not just musically but also spiritually and thematically. Hardcore music is more than music because it transmits ideas. Any fool can see the obvious link between the music and the proliferation of ideas. Vegetarianism and veganism are two real obvious examples. Ideas that have become common ground, even old hat, to most people involved in hardcore. There was a time when I was surprised if I met some hardcore kid that was vegetarian, but now the shocker is when I learn that some hardcore kid eats meat; "like that's way out there, you know?"

Anyway, I started reading MRR in 1982 and without that information hub I would have been lost. MRR was a data base filled with reviews, ideas, addresses. It helped me plug into the scene. Without it I

wouldn't be who I am today. So when MRR suddenly started changing their review policy in a way that was ostracizing my record label, my friend's bands, and my community I went ape shit crazy. In that state of delirium I decided to start this fucking magazine. I called it HeartattaCk because I knew that attempting to do a full scale information hub magazine like MRR could give me a headache, an ulcer, and an eventual heart attack.

But why me? I guess the best answer I can give is that I owe a lot to hardcore. It is in my mind the most important thing that has ever happened to me. It changed

my life forever. My whole mind set and way of interacting with the world has been drastically altered by my years in hardcore. It isn't always apparent but if I look closely I can see the connection to everything I do. I'm not complaining, but rather I'm giving respect where respect is do. I like who

I am. I like my life. I owe hardcore. So in many ways I felt a responsibility to do *HeartattaCk*. It isn't always fun, and in fact most of the time it is really quite painful. Sure when each issue is back from the printer there is a certain sense of satisfaction, but there is also the foreboding knowledge that another issue is on the way.

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In 1995 Ebullition raised \$3,000 from the sale of Give Me ■ Back LPs. The money was divided amongst three organizations; The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force, Planned Parenthood, and The Santa Barbara Shelter Services For Women. Writing the checks felt like a real accomplishment. The Give Me Back compilation has always symbolized for me what Ebullition could be at my best, at its best. I'm proud of the record, of the enclosed booklet, and donating the money made the whole project seem that much more important. By the end of 1996 Ebullition will probably be able to donate another \$3,000 to these organizations. Ebullition in motion.

his record was conceived as a benefit for *HeartattaCk*, In the beginning HaC was short on cash. In the last two years I've bought a lot of computer equipment in an attempt to make the process of producing HaC easier and easier. Hopefully, it is also looking better and better. From this point forward HaC will be produced completely on disk. All the photos and graphics will be scanned and everything will be laid out on the computer. This should raise the visual quality of the magazine, and hopefully it will come out a bit more regularly as well. So the money raised from this record will help pay off the expenses of all this new computer equipment. Some of the money will also be used to cover those issues where the ad money isn't quite enough to cover the printing, and I guess the second color will become a regular part of HaC. All of the bands were nice enough to donate their music to help HaC, and my thanks goes out to all of them. Each band was asked to do a page for the booklet and I also asked most of the regular contributors to do pages. I

was kind of interested to see what they would all come up

with, if anything at all. Yes, there is a second compilation in

the works. It should be finished in a month's time.

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My fragile ego is inflated with hot air. You attempt to deflate me with your sharp tongue, but I stay on my toes, moving side to side. The verbal war continues. I'm sure we could be friends if we spent time together on a hot day with the sun's lazy rays upon our backs, but we never do.

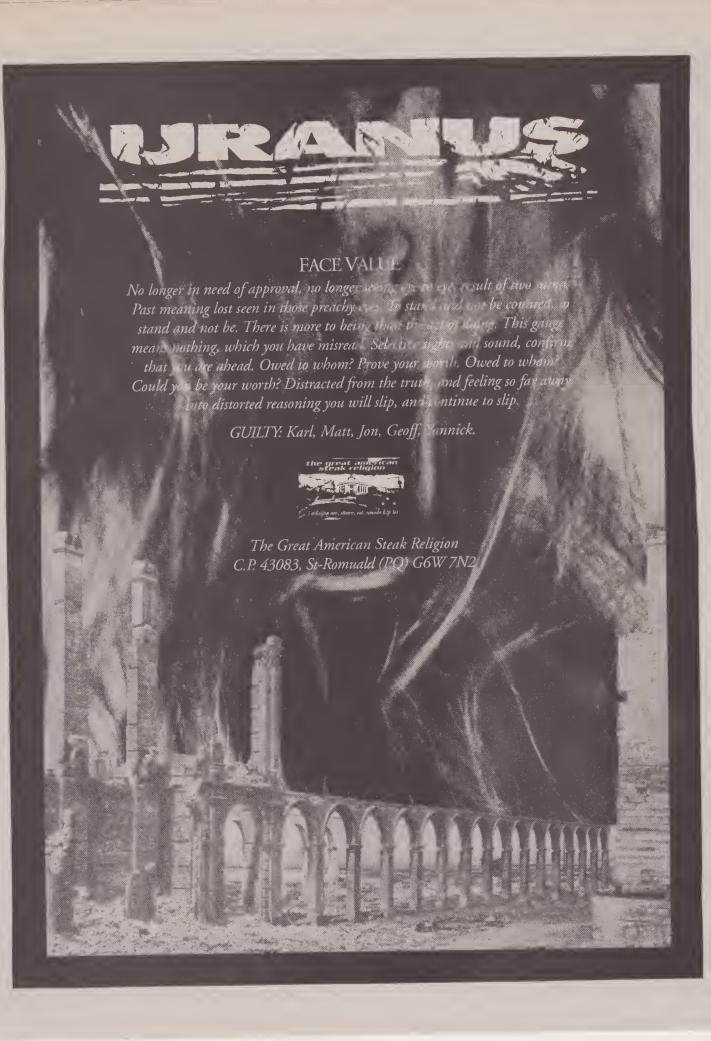
If you see me stumble on the street, it is because I am overwhelmed. It all comes down so damn fast. The uncertainty and the confusion spread. My eyes look out from behind a veil of haze. In the morning the fog and mist shroud the town in an eerie glow. I run through the streets and the appearance of desertion makes it seem simple. But later in the day the sun will burn off that simplicity, and people will once again swarm these streets like ants in a colony. Can you learn to live with the question? I see the converts seeking that which is sought. They seem so content on knowing, on trying to know. I think I remember what it meant to search

the heavens for that answer. The all powerful elusive answer. Elusive. Yes, I remember the search, but I also remember the failure. At first that failure gave me cause to fear. I began to understand the fragile existence that I call life. Life and death are so tightly connected. The completion can come so quickly. When I first realized, I mean really realized, that this was so I began to lose my sense of balance. I wanted an answer to hold, an answer to lean upon. I remain at war with the great unknown, but I can now answer your question. Not the question, but the question. Yes, I can learn to live with the question, though the bruises on my knees are evidence that I do fall now and again.

She left me. And I am blind. I struggle to find truth, only to trip on the confusion of life. I doubt if I can know the value of something until I have lost it. It is the curse of humanity. I can hear her voice in my ear like a distant memory. Photos are captured

moments in time. But those times have already escaped, and I realize now that photos are really only vestiges of a past time. I would like to be alone now to think about a time when I was not alone. From the cradle to the grave; hold that which is truly important close to your heart.

HE VOU



My mom sent me a bunch of crazy sex books this summer, which is another topic entirely, but one of the best was a book called My Mother Myself by a woman called Nancy Friday. It's this crazy, incredibly courageous book - one of the most challenging and interesting I've ever read. In it Friday talks primarily about women's sexuality and how women are constructs of their mother's attitudes (actions) towards sexuality to a much greater extent than many of us are willing to acknowledge.

Central to the book is Friday's theory that women desperately need to revamp our outdated and crippling feelings and ideas about sex. According to Friday (and a bunch more people, I'm sure), sex and love have become so completely enmeshed for women that it's almost impossible for us to have good/fulfilling sex unless the promise of (everlasting) love and commitment lurks in the not-too-distant background. Friday dares women to embrace ourselves as fully sexual and mature human beings, stating that it is only by doing this that we will ever have truly fulfilling and satisfying sex. It is with this challenge that she gives women the "permission" we often seem to need to appreciate sex as the physical/carnal act that it often is. It is only by taking up this challenge, she states, that we will ever be able to disassociate sex with the traditional ideas of love and dependence that have been imprisoning women for ages. Although Friday isn't proposing a complete disassociation between the two (sex and love), she emphasizes the fact that sex can and should be appreciated on various planes/levels. What struck me as especially central to her theory is her assertion that women must stop depending on men to take care of us sexually - that we must let go of the idea that we must wait for and depend on a man to turn us into the sexual women that we are striving to become.

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This may seem like common knowledge to some of you out there, but to me this is some of the most real, brave and good thinking that I've seen in ages. At the same time, though, it's really hard to come to terms with as a woman. I know that it's a lot easier to think of yourself as "naive" and "good" and not "like that." That it's so much easier to give someone else charge of you(r) sexuality, and expect them to "help you" become a woman and to say that none of this really matters because you don't like sex anyway. But as we all know, what's easiest is rarely what's best, and so I take up Friday's challenge and the challenges of scores of other women, and propose that we all work consciously to turn these attitudes on their heads. I say that as women we start making sure that we are getting what's ours without regret or apology. I challenge women everywhere to usher in a whole new era of frankness and total candor. To learn to express ourselves sexually in new and uncharted ways, and to learn to talk to each other openly and unabashedly about our experiences and feelings. About ourselves as women.

Fuck hardcore. It's just not what this column is about, but I want to talk about the Spitboy interview in last issue, because I think that it's a totally relevant to what I'm talking about here. For those of you who didn't read it, the "interview" was basically the Spitladies totally round-tabling it about sex. They were talking all sorts of crazy shit and asking each other questions and getting into the nitty gritty, and it was totally great. Lots of people - boys for the most part - that I have talked about it with, have told me that they thought it was "gross" and "inappropriate" and all that shit. 1, on the other hand, think that the interview was great. lt was completely open and honest and totally fucking brave. It was women talking about sex and fucking in a completely open and comfortable way. And really, why shouldn't they? Why shouldn't all women? For the most part, they talked about sex from a purely physical standpoint. From the perspective of women who have sex and love. Women who refuse to be embarrassed or inhibited about talking about it (at least on paper!), and to me that's a hell of a lot more real and revolutionary than anything I've seen in fanzines in a long time.

Here are some great books that I read this summer that all tie into this stuff:

Nancy Friday Women on Top .

Lonnie Barabach For Yourself

Betty Dodson Sex For One

Winks and Semans The Good Vibrations Guide To S

But the central distinction that I want to make here is that I am not really talking about sex in a "hey free love, let's get high sort of way, because I think that whole attitude is going absolutely nowhere. Sex as revolution is dead, sex as communication and as mature people/adults is (and needs to be) alive and kicking. Women need to learn how to be assertive and self-assured in their sexuality, while men and women both need to learn how to be up front and honest about what their needs are and who they are sexually. I think that all too often men feel that they must present themselves as (various degrees of) non-sexual in order for women to be able to trust them. Simultaneously, I think that women often present themselves as not interested sexually or inexperienced, in order to seem more "accessible" and desirable. For both genders I think that there is an idea that in order to be considered "good," we must dismiss ourselves as sexually interested and vibrant people. And when, during the course of the relationship the rules change and suddenly it is both desired and expected for both partners to be extremely interested and accomplished in the arena of sex, all hell breaks loose. What I am trying to stress here is what I see as an immediate/crucial need for both men and women to be straightforward about their "intentions" and interests, as well as who they are sexually. Without this kind of honesty I think that no progress will be made, and I fear that sex and sexual politics will get even more convoluted and dangerous than they already are.

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FLAMINGO STANCE I demand, in all aspects, calluses. I will not be ashamed to lean. I could never push it far enough to even things out. But i claim this as my life's work. It will take me home. I will choose which leg to stand on. Rip it open.

Recorded 11-94 at Enharmonik by Eric Stenman, who also modeled for the photos. Photos by Scott.

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LONG WAY DOWN

AS WE TURN ON OUR NEW TRADITIONS AND FACE THE FACTS OF TODAY TURN UP THE HEAT, SHIFT INTO HIGH SPEED AND LET OUR MINDS OVERFLOW

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解決受災居民的生活困難 水災後,港澳台同胞向災區捐款折合人民另據介紹,六月份,南方六省、區發生 幣近四億元。

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罪金額越來越大;經濟糾紛案件的數量和 面上升態勢。有關方面對此十分重視。 期多收一萬五千二百三十一件,上升百分 類案件五萬九千三百二十九件,比去年同 呈上升趨勢。全市法院一至六月份共收各 件比重加大;經濟犯罪案件成倍增長,犯 件增長迅猛,嚴重危害社會治安的犯罪案 海各級人民法院受理各類案件呈大幅度全 案件繼續保持全面上升勢頭;行政案件亦 訴訟標的總金額均創歷史最高水平;民事 之三十四點五;共審結案件五萬一千零六 升了百分之二十九點二九。 -九件,同比增加一萬一千五百七十件 據悉,各類案件的基本特點是:刑事案 【中通社上海二日電】今年上半年,

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I, of sound mind and body, write these words from a very cliche dark cave of a mind. I, being 100% human and currently fucked, write these words with an incapacitated amount of confusion. I struggle with every breath as if it were my last. I feel the weight of a simulated cold cloud of a helmet planted on my head as if I'm still stoned out of my mind from the previous 4 days of emotional evasion. I write this because I'm human and because I am sad beyond belief. I am let down. Not by anything in particular, but by the human experience. I fend off my thoughts as if I'm fighting for my life. I do not want to wallow in sorrow, in truth, or reality, I just want to be. Maybe I'm running on empty. I'm trapped in my own mental ghetto of disappointment and frustration. Where to go, I'm not quite sure. Forward, onward, straight and full speed ahead, teaming with the good humor of a goddamn Sprite commercial-probably not. But eventually I'll get there, wherever it is, when I get there. For now I'll marinate in my washed up, soon to be 21 juvenile life in for now, Santa Barbara, trying to blindly satiate my mind in the new Spitboy/Crudos record and rock out to Born Against pretending I'm Sam McPheeters on center stage. The caffeine and marijuana haze is starting to burn itself out as I must get used to dealing with things on my own so.....I wrote this in a futile attempt at coming to terms with...fuck if I know. Maybe its my boyish squalor of an existence extending my hand outward to a populace already consumed some other madness of sorts.

Thank you to so many bands and people who keep me dreaming, hoping, crying, struggling, and most of all for inspiring me.





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19-88 thanks Kent and John.

THE END IS NIGH.

I HEAR THE BUZZ FROM A MILLION MILES AWAY. THE JOURD THAT LLOWLY DIPS MY BODY IN LEAD. שנוב אין לבוחבל, אחם סעונג אין אברובגבן UNTIL I AM MERELY THE CLAY THAT THEY WANT ME TO BE...

STORE. STORE. STORE.

WHAT I'VE BECOME MEANS VERY LITTLE TO ME. WHAT I'VE BECOME MEANS NOTHING AT ALL TO ME. IF ONLY I HAD BACK THE FEELING IN MY HANDS, I COULD REACH OUT OF THE COCOON WOVEN

FOR ME...
BUT THAT'S OKAY BECAUSE WHEN I EMERGE FROM MY COFFIN...

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 I WILL BE ATTENTIVE TO ALL THE NEEDS OF THE QUEEN BEE.



photo: rob fracisco

skyscraper

these reflections in this glass stare right through me... these reflections in this glass unheard through this glass i am unheard his time has passed our time has passed his time is now these children run i used to follow but these legs are brittle now this window is my program i can not move i had life i was alive these machines have all run down just like me my eyes are shallow but they still see you i am no help through this window this war is silent i still hear you i am no help through this window these children run i am right behind them i am alive i am life

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dan, josh, greene, woody, & mike

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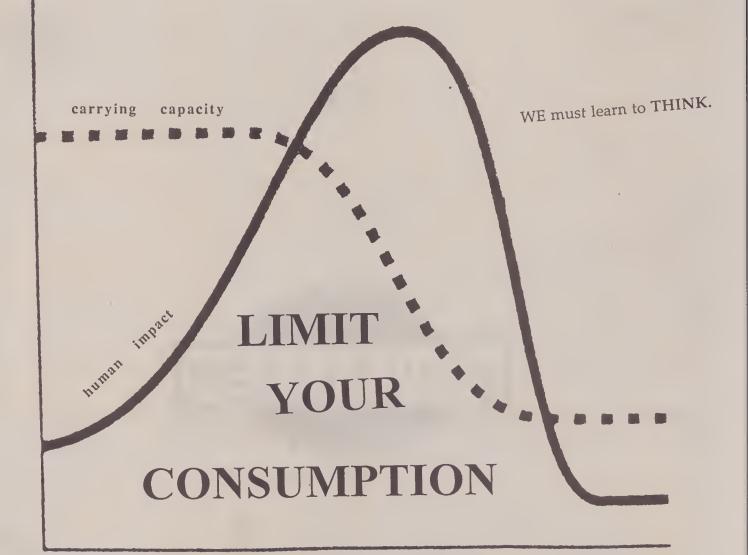


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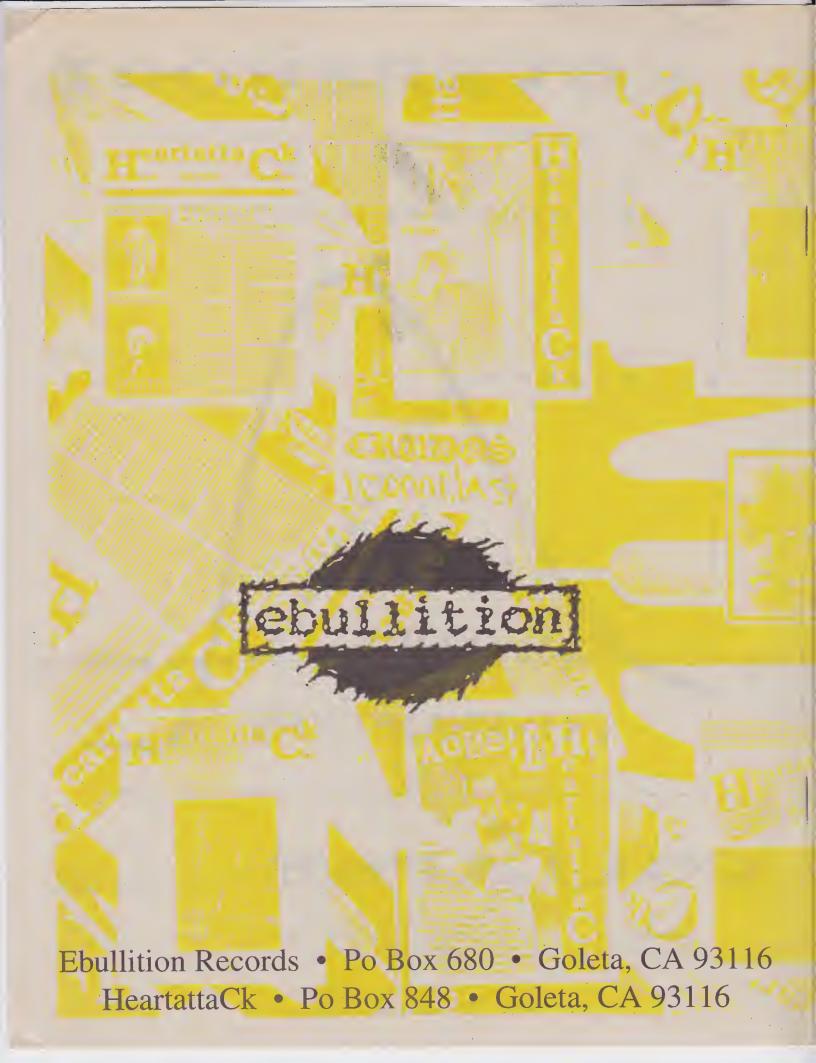
A SUSTAINABILITY REVOLUTION is in our future.



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